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1. On 2 February 1949 a Central Laboratory was inaugurated at Ljubljana consisting of the following:

   a. Laboratory for the Mechanical Treatment of Materials (Director: Engineer Isidor Teodorovic).

   b. Laboratory for the Electrification of Mining Equipment (Temporary director: Engineer Dr. Paljevac).

   c. General Chemical Laboratory (Director: Professor A. Vinograd).

   d. Laboratory of Mineral Chemistry (Director: Engineer Professor Gavel Sarga).

   e. Laboratory of Physical Chemistry and Electro-Chemistry (Director: Engineer Ivikole Nencevic).

2. The Director General of the Central Laboratory is Professor Blagoja Tomsic.

3. The staff which now totals 51 persons is shortly to be increased (numbers not disclosed).

4. At the present time the only laboratory to have been equipped with apparatus and to be working is the first mentioned above, though all five laboratories are expected to be functioning by the end of February 1949.

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